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- 1. Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated *March 31, 2004*, of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-2, 4-11 and 13-20.
- 2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to Charge Deposit Account No.: 01-2384 for the Appeal Fee (37C.F.R. 1.17(b))in the amount of: §330.00.
- 3. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), a two-month extension of time is hereby requested to extend the date for filing this Notice in the above-identified patent application from March 1, 2004 through and including <u>May 3, 2004</u>. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to Charge Deposit Account No.: 01-2384 for the two-month extension fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2) in the amount of \$420.00. If any additional fees are required, consider this an authorization to charge Account No. 01-2384. A Duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.

4. Claim Status

The Examiner's decision, in response to the Amendment filed by Applicants on <u>March 1, 2004</u>, finally rejecting Claims 1-2, 4-11 and 13-20. The status of the claims remains as follows:

Claims Rejected:

1-2, 4-11 and 13-20

Claims Cancelled:

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